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## MAY 3.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M.D., LL.D., in the Chair.

Seventeen persons present.

The death of Lancaster Thomas, a member, April 2, 1910, was announced.

HENRY SKINNER, M.D., made a communication on insects injurious to shade and fruit trees. (No abstract.)

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MAY 17.

MR. CHARLES MORRIS in the Chair.

Forty-three persons present.

The death of Edward Van Beneden, a correspondent, April 28, 1910, was announced.

The Publication Committee reported the reception of papers under the following titles:

"Notes on Batoid Fishes," by Henry W. Fowler (May 5, 1910).

"Descriptions of four New Cyprinoids (Rhodeinæ)," by Henry W. Fowler (May 5, 1910).

"A Note regarding the Chinese Alligator," by Thomas Barbour (May 17, 1910).

The following communications were made under the auspices of the Mineralogical and Geological Section:

CHESTER A. REED, on some geological features of the Arbuckle Mountains of Oklahoma. (No abstract.)

*The Copper Deposits of Franklin and Adams Counties, Pennsylvania.* —EDGAR T. WHERRY, Ph.D., remarked that the region is occupied by two Pre-Cambrian effusive igneous rocks, a rhyolite and a basalt, both considerably altered. The latter was probably the first to form, the acid rock being in part in dikes cutting through it, and a contact exposed during recent mining operations showing a rhyolite lava overlying basalt. The deposits consist chiefly of native copper in